

# Wilmington Journal.

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FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1875.

From the New York Observer.  
IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

"O winds of March, how soft ye blow  
Across this lovely land of flowers,  
The very wind that blows the flowers,  
On fac'd Northern hills of ours!  
How strange to dream of storm and cold,  
Of frosty nights and days of gloom,  
When January twines its wreaths of gold  
And bright azaleas gaily bloom.

So musing, wandering on apart  
With idle steps, I chanced to stray  
To where, against the city's heart,  
An ancient churchyard nestles lay.  
An April sky was over my head,  
Fresh springing grass beneath my feet;  
That quiet dwelling of the dead  
Seemed made for slumber, calm and sweet.

Great names of old, their country's pride,  
Were given here on many a stone;  
But, passing these, I turned aside  
To one low corner of the zone.  
"He died at Gettysburg," it said,  
"An only son. Aged twenty years,  
Down on the grass, his young life laid,  
And yet the grave with better tears."

For at that moment, to my thought,  
Another scene appeared to rise;  
Almost the self-same scene was wrought  
Upon the marble where he lies.  
"Gettysburg, just twenty years,"  
"My boy, my brave, young and brave!"  
"He was his mother's only son."  
"His heart is buried in his grave."

A voice was sounding in my ears,  
A voice that spoke with cruel tone;  
"O foolish woman! Unconscious tears  
Far better had you let your own  
Who knows which side the right doth  
lie?"

Dispute the question as you may,  
Two noble boys were slain that day;  
"O life was surely thine away!"  
"No, no," I cried. "We needs must  
take  
Our journey off through cloud and night;  
You, even at the morning's break,  
We turn, bewildered, from the light.  
The eagle minds, whose steady eyes  
Can face the sun, are few,  
But since we cannot all be wise,  
Thank God, we can at least be true."

"The gold is mixed with baser ore,  
But yet the furnace can refine;  
In self-delusion, even the soul  
Some sparks of heavenly metal shine;  
And so the soldier who laid down  
His life for what he deemed the right,  
His surely shall not miss the crown  
Kept for all heroes in the fight."

"In years to come, when men shall learn  
To view this conflict from afar,  
True faith and courage will burn,  
And the darkness will be clear;  
Perhaps the children may exclaim,  
"Our fathers stumbled in the night;  
Their grand devotion had been vain,  
Our better wisdom, wider sight."

Then, rising from that lowly ground,  
I plucked a leaf of budding palm  
And laid it gently on the mound,  
"After the tempest comes the calm;  
Sleep, gallant boy, and live again  
In precious fruit one day shall bring,  
As, even now, from out your grave,  
The flower of sympathy doth spring."  
— TWO PAGES.

The 20th of May in Wilmington  
So many of our citizens had gone  
to Charlotte and so general was the  
suspension of business in honor of  
Centennial Day that the day was  
more remarkable here chiefly for its  
quiet, the holiday keepers, who re-  
mained at home seeming generally at  
a loss how best to spend away the  
leisurely hours of the day. Either  
the greater part of our people were  
out of town or they made themselves  
exceedingly scarce to the eye of those  
who were strolling around seeing  
manner in which the day was ob-  
served here. During the early hours  
of the morning we noticed a goodly  
number of the young folks in carriages  
and buggies on their way to the Sound,  
and no doubt in the refreshing breeze  
that said to be ever blowing about  
that region they felt deeply for the  
absence ones in Charlotte who were  
tramping the dusty streets, scarcely  
breathing in the almost palpable cloud  
of pulverized mud that hovered over  
around and about them.

In town, about 12 o'clock, the Jew-  
ish citizens came in a quiet procession  
to their lot on the corner of Fourth  
and Market streets to initiate the  
work on their Synagogue by breaking  
ground; a ceremony which included  
speeches, prayers and the digging of a  
few shovels full of earth by the pre-  
siding officer.

According to the programme an-  
nounced in the JOURNAL of Thursday,  
Mr. Sol. Bear delivered a handsome  
speech in which he congratulated  
his brethren upon the beginning  
of a work that was destined to be  
of a finished, temple for the wor-  
ship of the God of their forefathers,  
and a school for their children. He  
said that his brethren had chosen this  
particular spot on which to start  
work on the day when the initial  
corner was laid to show how  
earnest was their affection for the  
State of their adoption and how sin-  
cere their pride in all her great deeds  
and glorious records, and he felt how  
decided was the honor which his  
brethren had conferred on him in  
calling upon him to preside over their  
deliberations as a Society and especially  
as the chief spokesman on this im-  
portant occasion. He spoke with pride  
of the increasing importance of his  
nation among the peoples of the earth,  
and it was a source of gratification to  
him now to know that here in Wil-  
mington, the city of the State, the  
Jews were to erect their first house of  
worship in North Carolina.

Mr. Bear, upon concluding his re-  
marks, formally commenced the work  
of the building by throwing up several  
shovels full of earth from the lines of  
the foundation. He then introduced  
Mr. A. Weil, the Chairman of the  
Building Committee, who read a very  
impressive prayer from a Hebrew  
form of worship, and at its close took  
occasion to repeat the congratulations  
of the President, Mr. Bear, to his  
brethren upon the step. The initial  
corner, which was to mark the day  
celebrated day in their calendars  
always worthy to be marked with a  
white stone. He alluded to the gen-  
erous aid that had been extended to  
his people by the Christians, and  
hoped that the day might come when  
they could all be united under one  
faith. Mr. M. M. Katz then came  
forward and said that it was the cus-  
tom for the beginning of the work,  
but that as no Priest of their faith  
was here, his people had chosen him,  
a lineal descendant from the great  
priestly line of Levi, to pronounce the  
benediction, which he did in Hebrew  
and then translated it into English.  
After the ceremonies, Mr. Bear in-

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